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TAGS: APER, EAIR, MR

SUBJECT: AIR MAURITANIE

REF: (A) DAKAR 7896, (B) STATE 192161

1. DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR CABLE (REF B) EXPLAINED THAT BAN ON USG USE OF AIR MAURITANIE IS DUE TO "UNSAFE OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES". BAN ON USAGE HAS NEVER HAD ANYTHING TO DO WITH SIGNATURE OF CONTRACT BETWEEN HUGHES AIRWEST AND AIR MAURITANIE. IN FACT, HUGHES AIRWEST HAS HAD CONTINUOUS AND UNINTERRUPTED SERVICE CONTRACT WITH AIR MAURITANIE.

2. AS SOON AS MISSION IS CONVINCED THAT AIR MAURITANIE HAS INTRODUCED STANDARD FLIGHT SAFETY PRACTICES AND HAS INSTITUTED SAFE OPERATIONAL PROCEDURES AND HAS BECOME REASONABLY SAFE AIRLINE FOR USG PERSONNEL TO RISK THEIR LIVES ON, MISSION WILL RECOMMEND TO DEPARTMENT THAT BAN ON AIR MAURITANIE BE LIFTED. AND NOT RPT NOT BEFORE THEN.

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